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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated January 6, 2009, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks:

**The current Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. No amendments are made herein.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 20 of this paper.